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Sir:

Please amend the inventive entity in the United States patent application identified above by deleting Yoji FUJIMORI as an inventor.

Submitted herewith is a petition under 37 C.F.R. \$1.48(b)(1) and Form PTO-2038 for \$470.00 which includes the fee of \$130.00 set 12/26/2007 PCHOMP 00000017 10695459 forth in 37 C.F.R. \$1.17(i).

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The restriction requirement in this application has resulted in the cancellation of claims so that the above person is no longer an inventor of the invention being claimed. Taro SUZUKI and Mitsuhito TERAMOTO were correctly named as inventors in the

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application as originally filed and are the inventors of the allowed claims.

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